## **RESOLUTION NO. 2022 - 13**

## A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A LEASE/PURCHASE OF A SERVICE DEPARTMENT VEHICLE THROUGH FULLER FORD, INC. AND U.S. BANCORP GOVERNMENT LEASING AND FINANCING, INC.

WHEREAS, State law requires governmental entities when purchasing goods or services in excess of \$50,000 to award such purchase by competitive bidding, which at times can add unnecessary delays and unnecessary cost to such routine contract procedures; and

WHEREAS, State law recognizes a number of exemptions to competitive bidding when advantages may be gained by participating in the Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program and/or when goods can be purchased at the same or better pricing than is available in the Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program; and

WHEREAS, Fuller Ford, Inc. is the authorized sales agent through the Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program for the sale of service vehicles, which program has been temporarily suspended due to supply limitations; and

**WHEREAS**, Fuller Ford, Inc. has offered to sell to the Village of Golf Manor a 2022 Ford F-250 Truck under the same discounted terms of such Program which provide an advantage to the Village and allow for immediate delivery; and

WHEREAS, to meet the Village's budgetary needs, U.S. Bancorp Government Leasing and Financing, Inc. has offered a Competitive Lease/Purchase to enable the Village to immediately acquire this service vehicle within the Village's allowable budget.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the Village of Golf Manor, Hamilton County, Ohio, that:

**SECTION I.** Council hereby confirms the Village of Golf Manor's participation in the Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program.

SECTION II. Council does authorize the Village Administrator to enter into a contract through Fuller Ford, Inc. to purchase a 2022 Ford F-250 Truck for immediate delivery in an amount not to exceed \$54,000, which is a price equal to or better than pricing available through the Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program.

SECTION III. The Village Administrator is authorized to enter into an additional contract with U.S. Bancorp Government Leasing and Financing, Inc. for the lease purchase of such motor vehicle through their government lease purchase program for a period not to exceed Four budget years in an installment and payment amount of \$9,555.98 per semi-annual payment commencing November 18, 2022 consistent with the attached proposal.

**SECTION IV.** This Resolution shall take effect the earliest opportunity as allowable by law.

PASSED this 28tday of February, 2022.

Mayor Stefan C. Densmore

ATTEST:

Paula Burgin, Assistant Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Terrence M. Donnellon, Solicitor